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PLASTIC PARTS

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LETTER IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

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P.O. Box 7068 Pasadena, CA 91109-7068 September 26, 2002

Commissioner

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated March 18, 2002, enclosed are:

- 1. Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.
- A Petition for Extension of Time.
- 3. Extension of Time fee of \$980.
- 4. Missing Parts surcharge for \$65.00.
- 5. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- 6. Abstract of the technical disclosure.
- 7. An Assignment of the invention with the Recordation Form Cover Sheet in a separate envelope addressed to Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Box Assignments Washington, D.C. 20231, along with our check for \$40.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the **pendency** of this application to Deposit Account No. 03-1728.

Application No. 10/037,414

Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

• The oath or declaration is unsigned.

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- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).

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